

"FROM THE ROOT"

The piece is titled after a quote from Angela Davis and exists as a billboard in Atlanta and in Miami. There will also be one in Queens, New York and in Durham, North Carolina.

Leslie and I decided to change and add some individuals in the list according to the community or city that we place the billboard in order to address specific people. So we are addressing Larry Little and other Panthers from the Winston-Salem chapter in North Carolina. While the Queens, NY billboard will contain more Panthers from the NY area. The next city will be Houston and we are adding Carl Hampton and other community leaders to that list as well as other historically important people of color.

We plan to keep doing these billboards in our communities, be they in the west, east south or north for those who don't know and for those who do. As a gesture or a beacon that should always be in the hearts and minds....so we don't fall asleep.

"It must be made to happen and happen very quickly" -BIG MAN (Panther on the Prowl)

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